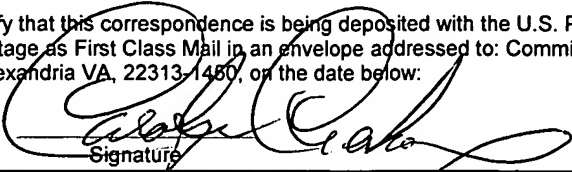




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RESPONSE TO FEBRUARY 26, 2004 COMMUNICATION

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Sir:

Assignee submits this Response to the February 26, 2004 Communication requesting status identifiers for claims 35 and 36. No fees are believed to be due in association with the filing of this Response; a Response is due March 26, 2003, which is within the statutory period. Should any fees be due for the Office to consider the enclosed Response, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct any necessary amount from deposit account number 01-2508/11284.0029.DVUS08.